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TAGS: ETRD

SUBJECT:GSP: CHANGES IN COMPETITIVE NEED LIMITATION

REF: HONG KONG 2443

1. 1975 US IMPORT DATA ON PRODUCTS CITED REFTEL AS
FOLLOWS:

TSUS ITEM	US IMPORTS	PERCENT OF TOTAL
-----	FROM HONG KONG	US IMPORTS OF ITEM
-----	(DOLLARS)	-----

347.28	3,000	60
545.37	4,000	66
646.88	4,000	94

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653.70	250	100
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660.80 110,000 55

2. IN EACH INSTANCE ABOVE, 1975 US IMPORTS OF ITEM
FROM HONG KONG ACCOUNTED FOR AT LEAST FIFTY PERCENT OF
TOTAL US IMPORTS THAT ITEM FROM ALL SOURCES. THE TRADE
ACT DID NOT INCLUDE A DEMINIMUS PROVISION IN ESTABLISHING
COMPETITIVE NEED FORMULA FOR GSP, REFLECTING THE VIEW
THAT A COUNTRY SUPPLYING 50 PERCENT OR MORE OF US
IMPORTS OF AN ARTICLE IS PRESUMED COMPETITIVE IN THAT

ARTICLE REGARDLESS OF TOTAL VALUE US IMPORTS; KISSINGER

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